Overall Results

- In 2013, the average score of eighth-grade students in Florida was 266. This was not significantly different from the average score of 266 for public school students in the nation.
- The average score for students in Florida in 2013 (266) was higher than their average score in 2011 (262) and in 1998 (255).
- The score gap between higher performing students in Florida (those at the 75th percentile) and lower performing students (those at the 25th percentile) was 44 points in 2013. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 1998 (46 points).
- The percentage of students in Florida who performed at or above the NAEP Proficient level was 33 percent in 2013. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2011 (30 percent) and was greater than that in 1998 (23 percent).
- The percentage of students in Florida who performed at or above the NAEP Basic level was 77 percent in 2013. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2011 (73 percent) and was greater than that in 1998 (67 percent).





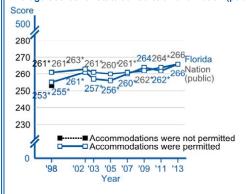


¹ Department of Defense Education Activity (overseas and domestic schools).

In 2013, the average score in Florida (266) was

- lower than those in 20 states/jurisdictions
- higher than those in 14 states/jurisdictions
- not significantly different from those in 17 states/jurisdictions





Significantly different (ρ < .05) from 2013. Significance tests were performed using unrounded numbers.

NOTE: For information about NAEP accommodations, see http://nces.ed.gov/nationsreportcard/about/inclusion.aspx.

Results for Student Groups in 2013

			Percentages		
	Percent of	Avg.	at o	r above	Percent at
Reporting Groups	students	score	Basic	Proficient	Advanced
Race/Ethnicity					
White	44	274	84	42	5
Black	21	254	66	19	1
Hispanic	28	260	73	27	2
Asian	3	283	84	54	15
American Indian/Alaska Native	#	‡	‡	‡	‡
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	- #	‡	‡	‡	‡
Two or more races	3	265	74	36	3
Gender					
Male	50	260	71	27	2
Female	50	272	82	40	5
National School Lunch Program					
Eligible	56	257	70	23	1
Not eligible	44	277	86	47	6

Rounds to zero.

‡ Reporting standards not met.

NOTE: Detail may not sum to totals because of rounding, and because the "Information not available" category for the National School Lunch Program, which provides free/reduced-price lunches, is not displayed. Black includes African American and Hispanic includes Latino. Race categories exclude Hispanic origin.

Score Gaps for Student Groups

- In 2013, Black students had an average score that was 20 points lower than White students. This performance gap was narrower than that in 1998 (28 points).
- In 2013, Hispanic students had an average score that was 13 points lower than White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 1998 (17 points).
- In 2013, female students in Florida had an average score that was higher than male students by 12 points.
- In 2013, students who were eligible for free/reduced-price school lunch, an indicator of low family income, had an average score that was 20 points lower than students who were not eligible for free/reduced-price school lunch. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 1998 (24 points).